

CIGARETTE DRIVE GAINS  
MOMENTUM; \$34 REPORTED

The Jewish Post Chanukah cigarette fund to provide a carton of cigarettes to every Indiana Jewish man and woman in the armed services, took a new lease on life this week as its largest single gift, and the first organization to send in a contribution ran the week's total to \$34.

That \$1,000 goal, the amount needed to supply the estimated 1,500 Jewish servicemen with the memento from the Indiana Jewish community for Chanukah, is still far off though, and large gifts are still the need of the moment.

The large gift came from the Tuesday Mah Jong club, whose members sent in \$15.00 to top the \$10.00 initial gift of The Post to get the drive started.

## FIRST ORGANIZATION MAKES GIFT

Other Organizations will now join in the drive, it was felt, with the announcement of a \$5.00 gift from the South Side chapter of A. Z. A. which celebrated at a banquet Wednesday night at Sam's Subway its official designation as a chapter with receipt of a charter from the national offices.

Rabbi J. Marshal Taxay sent in \$3.00 from Camp Van Dorn, Miss., where he is serving as a Chaplain. Rabbi Taxay wrote: "On appreciation of the informative nature of your paper, which has kept me in touch with Indiana news, it is a pleasure to send the enclosed check for whatever fund you may have to provide for some of the needs of our service men."

The remembrance at the Chanukah season by the gift of cigarettes when their non-Jewish friends are all receiving gifts from home, is expected to get a rousing reception from the Jewish men in the service. Under present plans, a carton of cigarettes will be sent to everyone anywhere in the world.

## HAVE TILL NOV. 1 WITH NEW RULING

Although the deadline set by the Army and Navy for sending packages to be received in time for Chanukah was set originally at Oct. 15, the Navy this week announced that it would take packages for Chanukah delivery through Nov. 1. This will give two extra weeks for the drive.

So far only four cities in Indiana have been heard from. They are Marion, Gary, Terre Haute and Valparaiso. Although slow in starting, the expectation is that the state communities, from whom it is expected fully two thirds of the Jewish servicemen come, will carry their share of the drive.

Total announced last week	\$44.70
Indianapolis	
The Tuesday Mah Jong Club	\$15.00
South Side Chapter of A.Z.A.	5.00
Mrs. Rebecca Dobrowitz	5.00
Emma Messing	1.00
Terre Haute	
Rabbi J. Marshall Taxay	3.00
Valparaiso	
San. L. A. A.	5.00
Total to date	\$78.70

## Purdue Hillel Now Full Foundation

Special

LAFAYETTE — The Purdue University Hillel Counselorship became a full fledged Foundation as Dr. Abraham Sachar, National Hillel Director, gave his approval to a petition presented by the Indiana-Kentucky State Association. Rabbi Meyer H. Simon, who has been director, will be head of the new Foundation.

## Miss Byrd Plans Jewish Music Program

Miss Virginia Byrd, staff organist at Station WIRE, has announced that in observance of the Jewish holidays she will feature Jewish sacred music on her broadcast during the next two weeks. Programs featuring these numbers will be presented from 5:00 to 5:15 p. m., Wednesday, Sept. 29 and from 10 to 10:15 p. m. Saturday, Oct. 2 and Saturday, Oct. 9.

## Omaha Endorses Conference Action

Special

OMAHA, NEB.—After hearing a report on the proceedings of the American Jewish Conference the Omaha Jewish community last week went on record as endorsing the Palestine resolution of the Conference and lauded the contribution to unity of Henry Monsky, its native son.

## J.W.V. Asks Legion To Initiate Fight Against Hatred

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

KIAMESHA LAKE, N. Y. — A resolution endorsing the stand of the American Jewish Conference on the question of the establishment of a Jewish Commonwealth in Palestine, was adopted here at the closing session of the 48th annual convention of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States. This was the first time that the JWV has taken any stand on Palestine issue. The resolution also demanded the immediate withdrawal of the White Paper of 1939 and free and unrestricted immigration into Palestine.

The convention called on the American Legion, as the largest veterans' organization in the country, to take the leadership in convening a conference of all national veteran groups to study the causes of race riots and means of educating the public to eradicate race and religious hatred. The 1,000 delegates who attended the convention elected Archie H. Greenberg national commander to succeed the retiring commander Benjamin Kaufmann.

"The tremendous part that those of Jewish faith have played in the drama of American independence" was stressed by Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, Administrator of Veteran Affairs, in an address to the convention.

Ten Jews have been returned unopposed in the provincial elections just concluded in South Africa. The bodies to which the ten have been elected are similar to the state legislatures in the United States.

## Weyne Becomes Post N. Y. Correspondent

Arthur Weyne, former managing editor of The Jewish Examiner, of Brooklyn, this week became the New York correspondent of The Jewish Post. Mr. Weyne has a wide experience with Anglo-Jewish newspapers and is considered one of the best newspapermen in the field. He will cover the New York field for The Post, making it the first Anglo-Jewish paper to have its own New York correspondent.

## New Large Gifts Are Announced

Special

MICHIGAN CITY — Additional large gifts to the new Indiana University Hillel House were announced this week, headed by \$250.00 from the Michigan City Jewish Welfare Fund. The Munice Jewish Welfare Fund contributed \$100.00, it was announced and the Jewish Welfare Fund of Shelbyville and Columbus, donated \$50.00.

In addition \$200.00 was contributed by Herbert P. Levin, of this city, who is outfitting the rabbi's office in the memory of his wife. Mrs. Herman Hofman contributed \$200.00 to outfit the press room in memory of her brother, Herman Hofman, a past president of America Lodge, Hammond. The rear porch is being outfitted by America Lodge through contributions from its members in memory of the late Morris Dobson.

Meanwhile it was announced that five rooms are available for dedication to the memory of loved ones. The rooms are: Library, living room, kitchen, entrance hall and secretary's office.

## LOCAL CONGREGATIONS ANNOUNCE SCHEDULES FOR ROSH HASHONAH SERVICES

Schedules were announced this week by all local synagogues for services for Rosh Hashonah and the following weekend.

Services for the New Year at the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation will take place for Rosh Hashonah at 7:30 p. m., Wednesday evening, Sept. 29. The sermon by Rabbi Feuerlicht will be "War-time Religion." Thursday morning, Sept. 30, the services will take place at 9:30 a. m. and the sermon will be by Rabbi Goldblatt, "New Pages in the Book of Life." Sabbath Repentance services will be held Friday, Oct. 1 at 8:00 p. m. Rabbi Goldblatt will give the sermon, "The Modern 'Sins of the Fathers'." Services will be held at 10:30 a. m. Saturday, Oct. 2 with a sermon by Rabbi Feuerlicht, "Preparedness and Peace."

Beth Israel Congregation will be held Friday evening at sundown, and Shabes Shuvah services will be held Saturday morning, Oct. 2 at 8:00. Selichos services will be held at the stroke of midnight, Saturday, Sept. 25, and the entire Jewish community is invited.

Services at Sharah Tefilla syn-

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## 8 Named for 5 Offices in State Association

Special

MICHIGAN CITY—Headed by Leon Levin, of Indianapolis, who is named the report of the nominating committee of the Indiana-Kentucky State Association of B'nai B'rith was sent to the lodges of the Association from here this week.

In accordance with the ruling adopted at the last convention, two names were presented for each of the offices of the three vice presidents and one for the office of president and secretary. They are:

For President—Leon Levin, Indianapolis.

For First Vice-President—William H. Stern, Gary and Max Farb, Indianapolis.

For Second Vice President—Gil Roskin, Marion and Jack Spevak, South Bend.

For Third Vice President—Rabbi Meyer H. Simon, Lafayette and Harry Resnick, Louisville.

For Secretary and Treasurer—Arnold A. Mayer, Michigan City.

At the same time announcement was made that Lt. Richard Efroyson, second vice president had communicated with the nominating committee asking that his name be not placed in nomination.

The nominating committee was headed by Harry Goldberg, of Anderson.

## Letter Urge City Groups To Aid Lodge Efforts

The aid of the Jewish organizations of the city was being enlisted this week as letters were sent out by Sidney Mahalowitz and his committee in charge of the B'nai B'rith blood-band-month campaign, arranging for their participation in the effort.

The drive of the local lodge is part of a state and district wide drive during October by the B'nai B'rith to aid the blood bank to keep up its quota.

## Notice To Subscribers

As complete as possible a list of all the Jewish men and women in the armed forces will be published in the New Year edition of The Post next week. Every community of size in the state has been contacted and either through our correspondent or the local Army and Navy Committee of the Jewish Welfare Board, their local lists are included. However in the small communities there is no way of securing the names, except through subscribers of the Post who are asked to send them in from their city or town. The Post will be appreciative of this courtesy. The list is intended to be as complete a record as possible. Readers of The Post will be able to check the list as it is finally printed.

If their friends or relatives are not included, advise either your local Army and Navy Committee of The Post.

## Z.O.A. Sets Up President's Office In New York

By ARTHUR WEYNE

Jewish Post N.Y. Correspondent  
NEW YORK — A "President's Office" of the Zionist Organization of America is to be established here, it was announced by Dr. Israel Goldstein, newly elected head of the ZOA. Dr. Goldstein made his announcement at a luncheon at which he was host to representatives of the Yiddish and Anglo-Jewish press at the Commodore Hotel. The principal headquarters of the organization will, of course, remain in Washington.

Asserting that he will emphatically not be a speech-making president, Dr. Goldstein said that he planned to give his time to those things which are "most vital and immediate" and that he was prepared for heavy demands on himself. He stressed the good will and harmony now prevailing in Zionist ranks, with several Zionist parties cooperating with each other effectively.

### Must Win Over U. S.

Now that Zionists have won over the Jewish people, as the American Jewish Conference so vividly demonstrated, it is their job to help win over the American people to the Zionist cause, Dr. Goldstein said. They must join the battle against indifference, apathy, antipathy and prejudice against the idea of a Jewish commonwealth in Palestine. It is a fundamental job of public relations.

"I hope to be able to impress upon the rank and file of Zionists," he said, "that they have not yet girded themselves for the Zionist battle. Zionistically speaking, we suffer from a general attitude of 'business as usual'. Our people must resolve to give more of their time, their energy, their resources, and their understanding to the furtherance of the cause. We must all act as though we had but one short year in which to accomplish the goal we all have set our sights on."

### Z. O. A. Now Has Authority

One of the outstanding results of the American Jewish Conference, Dr. Goldstein noted, was that it had granted "credentials" to the ZOA to speak in the name of American Jewry, that it had elevated the Zionists to the status of agents for the Jewish people with respect to Palestine. "And in that respect," he declared, "we must speak and act boldly and with imagination."

He expressed his gratification at the "splendid tenor" of the recently-concluded 46th annual convention of the ZOA in Columbus, pointing out that although it had been freely predicted that the convention, coming so soon after the American Jewish Conference, would be anti-climatic, it was nevertheless a vigorous and resultful assembly.

### Compute United Nations' Help To Palestine

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK — The formation by the ZOA of a committee of financial experts to determine the extent to which the United Nations should be asked to finance Jewish reconstruction in Palestine was predicted here this

## POST COMES TO SOLDIER'S RESCUE AFTER BATTLE OF SICILY, HE REPORTS

Probably one of the best all-around letters ever received from a soldier by an Anglo-American paper is contained in a fifty-two word V-Mail message from Hyman Schultz, who by this time is probably somewhere in Italy.

The punchy letter is ample reward for the Post's policy of sending the paper free to Indiana Jewish soldiers stationed in any camp in the United States.

The letter follows:  
To the editor:

"Believe it or not" The Post came to my rescue after the battle of Sicily. I was at a rest camp when I received The Post. My nerves immediately dropped to normal. Yes, it was one of my happiest hours.

I received The Post in England, Scotland, Africa and Sicily. Where next? Yours,

Hyman Schultz.

## State Association Meet Program Is Announced

Special

MICHIGAN CITY — The program for the annual convention of the Indiana-Kentucky State Association of B'nai B'rith was mailed this week to the member lodges by Arnold A. Mayer, secretary.

The activities will open with a morning session at which the revised constitution will be considered for adoption. This will be followed by a luncheon, at which the elected delegates and their wives will be guests of the Association. Lewis Sutin, president of District No. 2 will be principal speaker.

The afternoon session will feature a panel discussion by Norton Belth, Publicity Director of the Joint Defense Appeal, Richard Bluestein, of the Anti-Defamation League, and Abel Berland of the same office.

### Miss Marks To Give Concert

Miss Sarah Elizabeth Marks, local pianist, will entertain at the USO-JWB Club at 4 p. m. Sunday. This concert will mark Miss Marks' last public appearance in Indianapolis before she leaves for New York to further her musical education. She is the daughter of Mrs. Leah Marks.

newly elected president of the Zionist Organization of America.

Addressing a press conference, Dr. Goldstein also stated that he intends to institute local conferences of non-Zionists throughout the country to be addressed by Zionist leaders for the purpose of converting them to Zionism. The fact that many non-Zionist delegates at the American Jewish Conference voted for the Jewish Commonwealth resolution proves that non-Zionists can be influenced, he said.

week by Dr. Israel Goldstein,

## Lodge Invites Community to Hear Conference Report

An invitation to all Indianapolis Jewry to hear a panel discussion from two delegates to the American Conference in New York was issued this week by the Indianapolis Lodge of B'nai B'rith. Daniel Frisch of Indianapolis and one other outstanding speaker will make the report at a meeting set for Wednesday, Oct. 6 at Kirshbaum Center.

Music will be furnished by the newly organized Beth El choir conducted by Mr. Janot Roskin and Mrs. Evelyn Roskin at the piano.

### Holiday Schedule

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agogue, with Rabbi Samuel Katz and Cantor A. Portnov officiating, will be held Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1 at 6:00 p. m., and on Thursday and Friday, Sept. 30 and Oct. 1 at 7:00 a. m. Selichos services have been set for Saturday, Sept. 25 at midnight.

The congregation of Knesses Israel will attend services on Wednesday, Sept. 29 at 7:00 p. m., and on Thursday and Friday mornings at 7:30. Evening services will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 30, Oct. 1 and 2 at 6:30 and Saturday morning services will be at 8:30. Rabbi

## Beth Israel Rabbi



RABBI GREENBERG

## New Spiritual Head Graduate of J.I.R.

Rabbi Meyer Greenberg of Jersey City, N. J., who will officiate at the High Holiday Services for the newly formed conservative congregation, Beth-Israel, is a graduate of Yeshiva College, New York, and studied at the Hebrew University in Palestine for two years. Upon his return to the United States, he spent a year at the Yeshiva College Graduate School after which he entered the Jewish Institute of Religion.

Rabbi Greenberg has been very active in young Judean Group work, having been president of the Jersey City Leaders' Council, Vice President of the New Jersey region, and a member of the National Governing board. During the past two years he has been Rabbi of the Young People's Congregation of Ohab Sholem in Jersey City.

The High Holiday services of the Beth-Israel congregation will be held at the temporary quarters in the Masonic Hall, Second Floor, 42nd and College. Tickets for the services will be complimentary, and reservations may be made by calling MA 8963.

bagli will begin Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. and Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings at 8:30. Thursday evening services will be at 6:00, while Friday and Saturday evening services will be held at 6:30.

## Britain To Allow Rabbis To Enter Island of Mauritius

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

LONDON — The British Embassy in Lisbon has notified the Hias-Ica office there that as result of intervention by the Chief Rabbi of England, the British Government has granted entry permits for the island of Mauritius, which is in the Indian Ocean, east of Madagascar, to a number of rabbis living in occupied European territories.

The Portuguese authorities, according to a telegram received here this week from Dr. James Bernstein, Hias-Ica director in Lisbon, have agreed to grant transit visas to these rabbis for Lourenco-Marques in Mozambique, the nearest harbor to Mauritius that Portuguese steamers touch. These transit visas will be granted on the basis of a guarantee by the Hias-Ica office in Lisbon that transportation from Lourenco-Marques to Mauritius will be secured.

"It is still unknown whether the German occupational authorities will give the necessary exit permits to these rabbis," Dr. Bernstein emphasized in his telegram.

### Temple Sisterhood Serves

Members of the Armed Forces who attended the Sunday evening suppers at Kirshbaum last week were served by a committee from the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation Sisterhood with Mrs. Sydney Romer and Mrs. Lee Greenberg as co-chairmen. The committee included the Mesdames S. H. Abrams, Moses Aaron, Sig Asher, Floyd Beitzman, Ralph Bamberger, Roy Brown, Jack Cohn, Harry Cooler, George Frank, Elmer Frankel, Manuel Freeman, Louis Goulden, Jacob Hayes, A. M. Jackson, Herbert Kaufman, Lawrence Lapinska, I. Mazur, J. B. Solomon, H. L. Summerveld, Reuben Solomon, Leo Traugott, Louis Young, and Jay Kahn.

Zionist leaders in Washington expressed relief this week at the news, which reached them indirectly, that the projected joint Anglo-American resolution, urging the postponement of discussions on Palestine until after the war, had been quashed. A draft of the statement has been on President Roosevelt's desk for time.

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## HARVEST PARTY, DANCE PLANNED OCT. 30 BY B'NAI B'RITH AND AUXILIARY

A Harvest Party and Dance will be given by the B'nai B'rith Lodge and Auxiliary Saturday night, Oct. 30 on the grounds of the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Goodman, 301 West Kessler, it was announced this week.

Feature attractions will be square dancing to music by a well known orchestra, fine entertainment and group singing. Decorations will be in keeping with the fall festival season, lighted pumpkins, cornstalks, and hay stacks. Kosher frankfurters, tea, apple cider and doughnuts will be served.

Guests have been asked to dress in overalls, slacks, red flannels or other articles of warm clothing. The admission is only \$1 per person.

The committee in charge is headed by Mrs. Joseph Klein, assisted by co-chairman Mrs. L. L. Goodman, Mrs. Charles Bassler, Mrs. Max Gellman, Mrs. Michael Kline, Mrs. Bert Sicanoff, Mrs. Robert Kugelman and Mrs. Nat Smith, Mr. Eph Levin, Charles Bassler, Alex Katz and Mack Laner.

## Conference Talks To Cordell Hull

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON — "A full and frank discussion" with Secretary of State Cordell Hull was held this week on the problems of the rescue of Jews of Europe, the rehabilitation of European Jews after the war, and the establishment of Palestine as a Jewish Commonwealth, according to a spokesman for a delegation from the American Jewish Conference.

The delegation consisted of Rabbi Solomon B. Freehof of Pittsburgh; Frank Goldman of Boston; Louis Lipsky of New York; Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver of Cleveland; and Dr. Stephen S. Wise of New York. They submitted the resolutions adopted by the conference in New York, Aug. 29 to Sept. 2.

The delegation spokesman said that Secretary Hull showed a "keen and deep interest" in the problems discussed.

## Miss Frieda Newman Dies; Native of this City

Word was received Wednesday by Indianapolis relatives of the death in Los Angeles, Calif., of Miss Frieda Newman, 46, a native of Indianapolis.

Miss Newman, who had lived in California several years, is survived by five sisters, Mrs. Meyer Wild of Indianapolis, Mrs.

### Ben Stern Appointed to Aeronautics Post

Special

EVANSVILLE — Civil Aeronautics Administration officials this week announced the appointment of Ben Stern, 39, of Indiana, as director of information and statistics. Stern, who was a lieutenant colonel in the Marine Corps, was placed on the inactive list June 16. Since then he has been a consultant with Elmer Davis, OWI director.

Before entering military service in December, 1941, Stern was secretary to Senator Frederick Van Nuys for seven years, and prior to that was a political writer on the staff of the Indianapolis Times. He formerly lived in Evansville, where he was a reporter for the Evansville Courier.

## Ralph Lillard To Play For Dance

Ralph Lillard and his orchestra will provide the music for the 7th annual Yom Kippur Nite Dance of the Junior Hadassah which will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday night, Oct. 9, in the Riley Room of the Claypool Hotel. Arrangements have been completed for the gala affair and tickets can be purchased from any Junior Hadassah member.

Jennie Becker is chairman of the dance assisted by co-chairman Selma Binsky. Serving on the various committees are Mildred Kraft, Frances Bunes, Natalie Feldman, Ann Shapiro, Henrietta Schwartz, Thelma Gernstein, Lillian Chernin, Esther Kaufman, Miriam Bernstein, Helen Levinsky, Jeanette Rappeport, Jeanette Smith, Sadelle Bergman and Fannie Chasman.

### Jr. Hadassah Meeting Set

Junior Hadassah will hold their first general meeting of the season on Wednesday, Oct. 6 at Kirshbaum Center. The membership campaign which is now in full swing will continue through October and November, it was announced by Jeanette Rappeport, membership chairman.

Harry Shapiro of Washington, Mrs. Myrtle Chill and Mrs. Sidney Freed, both of Chicago, and Mrs. Bertha Dean of Los Angeles, and two brothers, Nat Newman of Chicago and Lee Newman of South Bend.

Funeral services will be held in Glendale, Cal. today.

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Thursday, Friday morning, Sept. 30, Oct. 1 at 7 A. M.

YOM KIPPUR — Friday eve. 5:30 P. M., Oct. 8.

Saturday morning, 7:00 A. M., Oct. 9.

GET YOUR SEATS EARLY. FOR INFORMATION: GA 6550

### 2 Overseas Broadcasts Set Special

NEW YORK — In connection with the forthcoming High Holy Days, the OWI facilities will be made available to the Synagogue Council for broadcasting two programs in Yiddish to be short-waved overseas by Rabbi Israel Goldstein and Rabbi Aaron Opher.

## FIRST CIRCUIT RABBINATE IN U. S. ESTABLISHED IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN

DETROIT — A circuit rabbinate voted enough salary to pay a full time rabbi. The rabbi will work out of Port Huron during the winter months and Petoskey during the summer months, and will visit the various communities regularly, taking care of their religious and educational work.



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# STATE IN REVIEW

## STATE CONGREGATIONS MAKE PLANS FOR HIGH HOLYDAY OBSERVANCES

Arrangements and preparations for celebrating the high holydays, beginning Wednesday with Rosh Hashonah, have been statewide.

Congregations at South Bend have announced the schedules for services. Selichoth services will be held at the Hebrew Orthodox Congregation at 1:00 a. m. on Saturday night, Sept. 25. Rabbi Aaron M. Rine will deliver an address on, "Midnight Devotions," and Cantor Jonah J. Stone of Chicago will chant the prayers. Selichoth services at the Congregation Sons of Israel will be held at 6:30 a. m. on Sunday, Sept. 26. Rev. L. Feldman will lead the prayers.

Rosh Hashonah services will be ushered in at both the Hebrew Orthodox Congregation, and Congregation Sons of Israel, with the Ma'ariv prayer at 6:30 p. m. on Wednesday, Sept. 29. Services will be resumed at 8:00 a. m. on Thursday, Sept. 30, and Friday, Oct. 1. On Thursday morning Rabbi Aaron M. Rine will address the Congregation Sons of Israel on, "Victory Through Prayer."

He will deliver a lecture in Yiddish on Thursday afternoon at 5 p. m. On Friday morning he will speak at the Hebrew Orthodox Congregation, on, "Spiritual Commandments". Sabbath morning services will be held at both Synagogues at 8:30 on Oct. 2. Rabbi Rine will deliver a lecture in Yiddish on Saturday afternoon in keeping with the tradition of Shabbos Shuvah.

Rosh Hashonah services will be held at the Washington Avenue

Temple, Evansville, at 8:00 p. m., Sept. 29. Services will be continued the following morning at 10 o'clock. At the evening services, Rabbi Milton Greenwald will speak on the subject, "The New and the Inevitable." The topic of his Thursday morning sermon will be "Who Shall Speak for the Jew?" Following the services Wednesday evening the Sisterhood, in cooperation with the local Army and Navy Service committee, will hold open house at the Temple for servicemen and other visitors as well as the members of the congregation. Refreshments will be served.

### Funeral Services Held For Mrs. Ben Strauss, 85

Special

SOUTH BEND — Mrs. Bertha Wittenberg Strauss, 85, of the Mar-Main Arms, died Monday in her apartment. She had been ill since February with a heart ailment.

Surviving in addition to her husband, Ben Strauss, is a daughter, Mrs. Max Adler, of this city. She leaves also two grandchildren, Mrs. Maurice Frank, and Mrs. Kay Cohn, of South Bend, and three great-grandchildren. The funeral was held Wednesday, with Rabbi Stephen Sherman, of Temple Beth-El, officiating. Burial was in Rosehill cemetery.

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### Kosher Kitchen Drive Pushed at South Bend

Special

SOUTH BEND — A drive to furnish the Kosher Kitchen which is being established at Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind., is now under way in South Bend, according to Mrs. Harry Pryweller, chairman of the project, who has worked for this cause throughout the State. Among the contributors from South Bend, according to Mrs. Welber, Philip Weisberger, Philip Frank, Philip Smith, and Louis Tenofsky of Goshen. Contributions may be mailed to Mrs. Harry Pryweller, 120 N. Michigan St., South Bend, Ind.

### Hadassah Group Plans 1st Meeting

Special

TERRE HAUTE — The opening meeting of the Hadassah will be held at 2:00 p. m. Monday, Sept. 27 at the home of Mrs. Hyman Schultz.

The meeting will open with community singing conducted by Mrs. Maier M. Levin. This will be followed by the regular business presided over by Mrs. Abe Weisman. Mrs. Melvin Goodman, program chairman, has arranged a program including musical selections by Miss Ruth Wallace, vocalist and Miss Rose Marie McGuire.

A discussion "Why Join Hadassah" by the Mesdames Stanley Dreyfus, David Silverstein and Melvin Goodman; and a New Year message "We Turn

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## EVANSVILLE COUNCIL TO LAUNCH DRIVE FOR WELFARE FUND SUNDAY: GOAL IS HIGH

Special

EVANSVILLE — The Jewish Community Council, under the leadership of Mr. Sam Sater, will begin its annual campaign to raise funds for Jewish welfare activities in this country and abroad with a dinner at the McCurdy Hotel Sunday night, Sept. 26. The speaker will be Dr. Ephraim Gomberg of New York, who is connected with the National Refugee Service.

This campaign has been timed to coincide with the high holy day season and is expected to achieve the highest goal in recent years. Mr. A. A. Brentano is serving this year as Chairman of the Campaign Planning Committee.

Serving with Mr. Sater are Mr. Irvin Weil and Mr. Hubert DeJong as the co-chairman of the

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### Young Married People Plan Yom Kippur Dance

SOUTH BEND — The Young Married People's Club opened their season of activity with a meeting Wednesday, Sept. 15 at the Hebrew Institute. Mr. Joseph Newman presided in the absence of the president, Mr. Harry Shcolnik. The annual Yom Kippur project was discussed, and it was decided to hold a Bowery Dance at the Hebrew Institute. This first affair of the season will be presented on Oct. 9. Mrs. David Moss, Mrs. Ted Halasz and Mr.

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## B'NAI B'RITH BOND QUOTA TO BE DOUBLED: JEWS BUY 6% OF ST. JOSEPH COUNTY TOTAL

Special

SOUTH BEND — The South Bend Lodge of B'nai B'rith was a quarter of a million dollars over their quota of \$1,000,000 in war bond sales today with prospects of approaching \$2,000,000 before the campaign ends September 30. This was announced by Irving Garnitz, president of the Lodge, who headed the war bond committee.

The \$1,000,000 quota was assumed by the South Bend Ben B'riths as their part in the nation wide Third War Loan drive. The entire amount sold was purchased by South Bend and St. Joseph Valley Jewry during the intensive campaign. Workers called on every Jewish family in the district. South Bend's community makes up 2 per cent of the total population of the city, whereas their self-assumed quota was in excess of 6 per cent of the amount to be raised.

Twenty-five two-man teams did the bulk of the work. They

were directed by Sam Hurwich, Julius Tucker, Henry Krause, Herbert Friend, Maurice Herman, Jacob Levy and Arthur Simon, all of South Bend. The amounts of the bonds sold ranged from \$25 E bonds to some well up in six figures. That South Bend Jewry was more than doing its share in the war effort was indicated by the praise of William J. Klusmeier, chairman of the St. Joseph county War Savings Staff, who headed the county campaign.

To date more than 200 Jewish men and women from this area are serving in the armed forces, several having been awarded medals and citations for conspicuous bravery.

## Hadassah Women Plan Activities

Special

LAFAYETTE — The Lafayette Chapter of Hadassah had its first fall meeting in the recreation room of Sons of Abraham Synagogue with its president, Mrs. Bert Loeb presiding. Plans for raising the various quotas were discussed, and a Donor Dinner with Mrs. J. A. Goodman of Indianapolis as guest speaker was planned for November. An oil painting done by Mrs. Frances Abrahams, mother of Mrs. Loeb, was donated by her for which subscriptions are to be sold.

### Lodge Elects New Head

Special

MICHIGAN CITY — Michigan City B'nai B'rith Lodge held a special election to fill the vacancy of the office of president, owing to the fact that Marshall Kottler, former president is now in the Armed Services of our country. Stanford Glasser, former first vice president, was elected president, and Leonard Benowitz was chosen first vice president.

## 'Round the State

### HEBREW ART DISCUSSED IN MUSEUM LECTURE

Dr. Franz Landsberger of Cincinnati, speaking at the opening of the 1943-1944 Art Museum lecture series last Tuesday night in Ft. Wayne, discussed symbolism in religious art. His lecture was illustrated with lantern slides and an exhibit of over one hundred antique ceremonial and feast day utensils donated by the Hebrew Union College of Cincinnati and several pieces which are the property of the Achduth Vesholom Temple museum. An informal reception followed the lecture with Mrs. N. L. Salom, serving as one of the chairmen, assisted by Miss Minette Baum, Mrs. Myron Dessauer, Mrs. Fredrick A. Doppelt, Mrs. D. B. Fishman, Mrs. Eugene Frank, Mrs. J. L. Goldman, Mrs. Henry Jordan, Mrs. Nelson Pollak, Mrs. Nathan Rothschild, Mrs. Lou Stieffel and Mrs. A. M. Strauss.

### B'NAI ISRAEL DEDICATES HONOR PLAQUE

B'naï Israel Congregation of Indiana Harbor last week dedicated an honor roll inscribed with the names of 82 servicemen. The plaque, said to be a master work by a renowned artist, was placed in the synagogue as an everlasting tribute to the loyalty and patriotism of the men and women in the service. Rabbi Louis L. Slacks made the address and Mrs. Hyman Smilovitz was program chairman.

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## STATE SOCIETY

Florence Bernstein  
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GARY—A surprise marriage of interest to Garyites took place August 25 in Mexico (District Federal) Mexico when Miss Florence Bernstein became the bride of Harry A. Cohen of Omaha, Neb.

With all plans carefully made before her departure, but kept secret even from her immediate family, Miss Bernstein left, supposedly, for an extended visit with her friends Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Sensibar, former Garyites. Later she was joined by Mr. Cohen.

The wedding was held in the picturesque home of Mr. and Mrs. Sensibar, who acted as attendants, with their small daughter, Judy, serving as flower girl. They were married in the traditional orthodox form by a Chicago Rabbi who happened to be visiting when the Rabbi that had been engaged took ill.

The new Mrs. Cohen is the youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Max Bernstein, Gary pioneers. She is a product of the Gary schools, a graduate of the Columbia College of Expression in Chicago with post graduate work at Northwestern University. For the past several years she has been a speech teacher at the Froebel School in Gary, where she has taught since her graduation.

They will reside at the Dalton Apartments.

South Bend Girls  
Begin College Life  
*Special*

SOUTH BEND — Among the young people who have recently left for school is a trio of friends who have registered as freshmen at Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois. They are Miss Geneva Pryweller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pryweller, Miss Bettylee Mooren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Mooren, and Miss Ruth Feiman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Feiman. . . Miss Marilyn Lee Bernstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Bernstein, left last week to attend Ladywood school, Indianapolis. . . Miss Ruth Vogel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Vogel, was awarded a scholarship in music at Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind., where she has begun her freshman year. She has been admitted to the orchestra as the second cellist. . . Mrs. Joseph H. Burke, 124 Napoleon boulevard, and Mrs. Henry S. Lowenstein, 1112 East Eckman street, returned September 15 from Katona, New York, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Garfunkle at White Crest. Mrs. Garfunkel is the former Helen Burk, of South Bend. . . County Prosecutor Arthur F. Scheer was taken to Epworth Hospital last Thursday for treatment of a foot infection with which he was stricken several days before. Hospital attaches report his condition to be good.

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## State Births

FT. WAYNE — Mrs. Maurice Rothberg who has been spending the past few months at Traverse City, Mich., announces the birth of a son.

SOUTH BEND—Capt. and Mrs. Eugene Weiss of Fort Knox, Ky., announce the birth of a daughter Janice Harriett, Aug. 29, at Norton infirmary, Louisville, Ky. Captain and Mrs. Weiss formerly lived in South Bend.

SOUTH BEND—Mr. and Mrs. Morris Polis announce the birth of a daughter, Frances, on Sept. 12, at the St. Joseph hospital.

Odds and Ends Make Up  
Gary's Social News  
*Special*

GARY—Pvt. Albert Shipow was home for a short furlough and has now returned to the University of Santa Clara in California where he is stationed.

. . . Mrs. Irving Given and daughter Beatrice have returned home from their vacation at Bristol, Ind. Mr. Given and Zelda visited them while they were there. . . Mrs. Michael Hirschberg visited with her son Sgt. Robert Hirschberg at Camp Douglas in Wisconsin. . . Miss Sylvia Hirschberg left Tuesday for Frances Shimer Junior College at Mount Carmel, Ill., where she will resume her studies. . . Mrs. A. Garon of Duluth, Minn., was a visitor during the week in the home of her cousins Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Mellman. . . Mrs. Oscar Rosen has joined the Hay Fever Colony at Sault Ste. Marie. . . Leo Roth left Tuesday for Baltimore where he will enter Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine on the scholarship he was awarded for placing first in his graduating class last June. . . Miss Loretta Diness is expected home from New York where she has been visiting relatives during her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown of Chicago (the former Marilyn Berg of Gary) have chosen Lawrence Philip for the name of their new son. . . James Allen Shaevel is the name of the new son born to the Oscar Shaevels. Mrs. Shaevel is the former Shirley Bornstein. . . Guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Saks are Pfc. Harold Saks and wife, enroute from Camp Forrest, Tenn., to Camp Philip, Kan. Also Mr. and Mrs. A. Levin of Winchester, Va., uncle and aunt of Mr. Saks. While here the Levins celebrated their fourteenth wedding anniversary with a gala party at the Palmer House in Chicago. . . Mrs. Ezra Sensibar of Mexico City was a guest at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Hinda Sensibar and her step-mother Mrs. Schuman Hyman. She came north to take her daughter, Minda Rae from a Wisconsin camp where she has been vacationing all summer. Mrs. Sensibar

is the former Belle Hyman who taught in the Gary schools. They moved to Mexico from Chicago last year when Mr. Sensibar was commissioned by the Mexican government to construct a project there.

Mrs. Harry Kahan is back in Gary to stay now that her husband Capt. Harry Kahan and her son Pvt. Franklin are both overseas. . . Mrs. Schuman Hyman has changed her address from 828 Maryland Street to 636 Maryland Street. . . The Morris Fleischman's, 571 Vermont Street have sold their home and plan to move to Chicago. Mr. Fleischman expects to commute to his business in Gary.

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Mrs. Myer Gordon  
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HAMMOND—Mrs. Rita Gordon, the wife of Myer Gordon, well known restaurant proprietor, passed away at St. Margaret's hospital. Mrs. Gordon, a resident of Hammond for the past 34 years, had returned from Mayo Brothers clinic at Rochester, Minn., Saturday morning.

Mrs. Gordon was president of the Eva Taussig Loeffler guild and an active member of the Young Women's Club and the Daughters of Israel, and she was a member of Knesseth Israel congregation. She had served as secretary to the law firm of Bomberger, Peters and Morthland for 22 years. Funeral ser-

vices were held from Burns Chapel with Rabbi B. Teller of Chicago and Rabbi A. J. Feinberg officiating. Burial took place in the Knesseth Israel Cemetery.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Gordon is survived by a son, Lloyd; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Chayken; four brothers, Irving, and Milton Chayken of Hammond; Benjamin and Abraham of Chicago and four sisters, Mrs. David Ein and Sylvia Chayken of Hammond; Mrs. Abe Mormolstein of Chicago; and Mrs. John Octon of Stokie, Ill.

TERRE HAUTE—Mrs. Jack Schwartz and small daughter Marilyn Kay of Highland Park, Ill., are visiting Mrs. Schwartz's parents Mr. and Mrs. Morris Rosenfeld.

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## CALENDAR

Rosh Hashonah	Sept. 30
Yom Kippur	Oct. 9
Succoth	Oct. 14-19
Yiskor	Oct. 21
Simchas Torah	Oct. 22
Chanukah	Dec. 22

The editor's chair:

Away at the American Conference editor H. L. Meites, of the Chicago Jewish Chronicle, voiced a common complaint in retailing the errors made by his copy reader. The Post must employ the same copy reader, for he too is deaf at making the most tantalizing mistakes. Editor Meites writes:

While we were in New York attending the American Jewish Conference our "Printer's Devil" had a Roman holiday. The mischief he created will take some time to unravel and set right. The likeness of Dr. Samuel M. Blumenfeld, which was to accompany his interesting Guest Editorial, was exchanged with that of Herzl Rosenthal, President of the Chicago Council of Hapoel Hamizrachi, a delegate to the American Jewish Council. B. Horwitz was called a Scientist instead of a Zionist. . . . S. B. Komaiko, was referred to as S. B. Komaike—and many other tricks of a similar nature. Fortunately, all are familiar with the pranks of the "Printer's Devil" and accepted it with a smile.

But while on the subject of mistakes, a long history of which every paper can probably write, the prize honor of the year is probably that of The Jewish Advocate of Boston, which under the name of Charles F. Kettering, the General Motors Company inventive wizard, printed the well known face of one of the best known Jews in the United States—Henry Monsky.

Carl Alpert, who puts out the New Palestine, will leave next month to begin his stint in the armed forces. Carl, who I think is still under thirty, once brought The Jewish Advocate, of Boston, into national prominence by making it a fighting publication. I think he has about as much place publishing an organ of a national organization as a fish has on dry land. Here's hoping that when Carl comes back into civilian life he goes into the weekly Anglo-Jewish field where he belongs.

**BUY  
BONDS**

# Editorial Page

## Selling Seats on High Holidays Indefensible

THE TIME-HONORED practice of selling seats in synagogues even to regular dues-paying members deserves some attention. Synagogue life in America is no longer on a hit and miss basis, but has grown to maturity.

It is understandable that those who do not support the synagogue day in and day out, and who for various reasons attend only High Holiday services, should be made to bear their share of the financial burden by purchasing seats.

But on what grounds can outmoded practice of charging even the members for seats be justified. An annual membership fee should include every synagogue charge from seats to the attendance at religious school. The old system grew up when congregations had to rely on the income from the Holidays for their financial support, but this situation no longer holds true, and the system should be allowed to die the peaceful death its past usefulness and present incongruity warrant.

## Nominating Committee Report In; Procedure Healthy

With the approach of the high holy days, we THE REPORT of the nominating committee of the Indiana-Kentucky State Association of B'nai B'rith, printed elsewhere in this issue, is a piece in line with a general progress of the State Association under the leadership of Jack Gole, of Michigan City.

A fought-over issue for the past few years, the nominating committee's report this year for the first time is in the hands of the lodges of the Association several weeks in advance of the annual convention, which this year will take place in Indianapolis on Sunday, Oct. 17.

Naturally there will be rivalry for election between the men named for the three offices of three vice presidents, but it is this paper's contention that such competition is healthy and wholesome, and rather than to be avoided is to be sought for as a necessary element in the proper functioning of any organization.

The nominating committee met away from the hub-bub, and what might timidly be referred to as "pressure" of the convention, and with calmness and deliberation scoured the list of available men for officers' timber.

## Zionists Overlooking Opportunities Of Conference Momentum

THE DISPLAY of overwhelming support for Zionism at the American Jewish Conference must be recognized by the Zionist officials as a spontaneous combustion process whose resulting conflagration if properly directed will sweep the Jewish community of the nation.

Yet so far nothing out of the ordinary has been promulgated to this end either at the recent convention in Columbus or since. No plans have been launched to take advantage of the tremendous impetus of the Conference inspiration.

Of course a goal of 150,000 was set for next year, but in view of the fact that no new blood has been added to the present ruling hierarchy, unless something is done and done quickly the opportunity will have died knocking.

Z.O.A. officials spent \$10,000 recently on a beautifully-gotten up brochure, which netted something around seven or eight hundred members, and until business men wise in the way of direct mail solicitation expressed gloomy predictions, the Z.O.A. leaders saw Zionism spreading by the thousands by the postage stamp method.

At Columbus a total of some 67,000 Zionist memberships were reported, a laudable increase of 19,000 over the past year. But still the vast possibilities of the moment have not been and probably won't be seized. Something is lacking. Last year's plan will bring in another 20,000, perhaps, but it definitely won't mean 150,000, or even 250,000 a goal not unrealizable with the proper planning and vision.

## Current Comment

Problem Solved By Using Waste-basket. The Observer (Nashville, Tenn.) Says — The various national Jewish organizations, who function for the American Jewish communities—and through funds supplied by these communing aggressiveness in the "public information" field. The mere fact that each organization employs a full-time, and, we assume, liberally-paid, public relations executive, would indicate that publicity in Jewish papers is greatly desired and held essential.

With the approach of the high holy days, we are unmistakably reminded that the facilities of an Anglo-Jewish publication—in a small community—are woefully limited. If we were to print, the articles already received (and, no doubt, produced at considerable cost), we would be compelled to publish at least a 64-page paper. One organization alone—our beloved B'nai B'rith—has sent us enough material to fill ten pages, with some life-size (almost full-page) mats for proper illustration. Others, among them the National Refugee Service, are only a little less liberal with their gifts.

Being somewhat confused and worried (what shall one do with one article that requires three pages of space?)—and so as to be strictly impartial—we're going to eliminate them all. Instead, we shall use articles of more personal and general interest. Of course, it's too bad to lay all these splendid stories aside; it seems such a waste of effort and money. And we know, money "comes hard"—for, not one of these organizations would subscribe to the paper of which it offers to make elaborate use. So, on our part—not being a beneficiary of public funds—we regretfully decline to add a dozen or more pages for the sake of eulogizing "national leaders."

Jews Have No Knowledge of History, Lewis Sutin of Terre Haute, Tells Denver, Colo. Audience.—The gradual disintegration of Jewish life in America proves that no people can survive that does not have a glorious pride in its history. The plain fact is that Jews of today, generally speaking, have no real knowledge of Jewish history and have not even read any books on Jewish subjects.

Today we Jews in America are the lords and barons of Jewish life; we are living in the land of plenty and we are saying to ourselves: "Anti-Semitism cannot come to America." We are speaking those words just as the German Jews did yesterday and the Spanish Jews the day before.

There was a time not so long ago when the Spanish Jew looked down upon the German Jew, and the German Jew looked down upon the Russian Jew, and the Russian Jew looked down upon the Polish Jew, and the Polish Jew looked down upon the Rumanian Jew, and the Rumanian Jew looked down upon other Jews. We, by the grace of God, live in America and the danger at this moment is that the American Jew is in position to look down upon the German Jew. Let us avoid that danger if Jewish unity is to be realized.

I think we should begin to take some interest in the question of why synagogues are empty. I believe that one of the reasons for this fact of Jewish life in America is that the Jews find it too difficult to live up to the requirements of Judaism. These requirements are nothing more than the essence of American ideals and from a study of them we should take pride in being called Jews.

## TOWN CRIER

By G. M. C.

Johnny Efroyson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip P. Efroyson, is back with us. He was released from the army with a medical discharge Wednesday, from Ft. Custer, Mich. This certainly is good news for the South Side Jewish youngsters among whom Johnny has been advisor and godfather, so to speak, for years. Also out of khaki is Norman Weisman, genial former Kirshbaum Center Athletic Director.

Lewis Sutin, president of District No. 2 B'nai B'rith, introduced an innovation in the form of a bulletin to the president of all the lodges in his district. The bulletin should be very helpful, but what I want to get older is a section in the October bulletin headed "The Anglo-Jewish press." Here it is:

October 1 marks "National Newspaper Week" in the United States. In our zeal to aid the war effort, we must not blind ourselves toward those institutions which keep America free and democratic. The newspaper is such a force. As Jews we have a definite responsibility to support the Anglo-Jewish press not only because it represents an organ of public opinion, but because an informed American Jewry will react more courageously and intelligently toward those problems which affect us most as a people. I urge you and the members of your lodge to subscribe to the newspaper which serves your community.

The Beth El Men's club really has a powerful array of talent scheduled for its meetings this winter. Opening up next month with Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, they go to Carroll Binder, Chicago Daily News foreign correspondent, Rabbi Maurice Perlweig, representative of British Jewry, M. Rosenberg, dramatic artist from New York, Suzie Michaels and Maurice Friedman, Jewish musical duo, and Chaim Greenberg, editor of The Jewish Frontier.

I didn't want to say anything about it then for fear it might have some effect in some way on the cigaret fund, but almost all of the second week's contributions came through Percy Simmons, who set himself up to conduct a one-man drive and turned in \$14.70. Percy just asked everybody he came in contact with for something for the fund, and had no difficulty at all. I hope others not only in Indianapolis but throughout the state take the hint, because that \$1,000 goal is still a long way off.

I don't know whether you've received one yet, but in the mail this week I got my first V-Mail New Year's card. It's really something too; this one showing the words Lashonah Tovah Tocosevah in Hebrew lettered in the sky over a South Seas landscape. I don't suppose that all the New Year cards will be the same, since this one probably has this particular

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## Kaufmann Task Worth Doing, Writer Says

To the editor,  
Your paper has come to my desk for the last few weeks, and I feel that I must congratulate you on your excellent coverage of the American Jewish Conference, before, during, and after.

Naturally we were pleased that you took note of our Edgar J. Kaufmann who serves the community in more ways than we can tell you. But, I should like to correct the impression expressed in your "Town Crier" column of Sept. 3. Mr. Kaufmann not only attempted to organize the unaffiliated bloc; he did organize it and it assumed the name "Non-Partisan Group." Through this medium some 46 delegates of varying opinion, but all determined "independents," were able to share in the representation on committees and presidium. They enjoyed full discussion of all points and daily reports from the committee rooms. Definitely, this unique fellowship contributed toward the tolerant spirit of men and women who might have been more specifically dissenters. I think this was a task well worth the doing.

MRS. LILLIAN A. FRIEDBERG, Executive Director, Jewish Public Relations Council, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## Soldier Would Subscribe To Paper, But It's Free

To the editor,  
I have received the Post from you for some time and enjoy it very much. However, for the past few weeks, have not received your paper. Have you discontinued sending it to service men?

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## Uniongram Appeal Made by Sisterhood

Mrs. M. Silver, chairman and Mrs. Marcus Cohen co-chairman for the Temple Sisterhood's Uniongram and Calendar Committee made a special appeal this week that uniongrams as Rosh Hashanah greetings be sent to our men in service and that the Sisterhood calendars be given as Rosh Hashanah gifts. Part of the money from each sale is credited to the local Sisterhood on the Hebrew Union College Scholarship Fund. Those desiring uniongrams or calendars may call Mrs. Silver, TA 6857 or Mrs. Cohen, TA 6346.

## Ruth Bryan Owen to Be Brought Here By Welfare Fund

The Honorable Ruth Bryan Owen, daughter of William Jennings Bryan, America's first woman diplomat, will speak here on Tuesday evening, Oct. 12, under the auspices of the National Refugee Service and the joint Jewish Federation-Jewish Welfare Fund Committee on Interpretation and Publicity.

## Van Dorn Private Writes About Rabbi Taxay

To the editor,  
The Chaplain  
By Pvt. Morris Shames, Camp Dorn, Miss. Dedicated to Chaplain J. Marshall Taxay. When things don't go so well for me,

Who is the first I run to see? It may be day or it may be night, He is always around to set me right.

"Sit down, my boy," he would kindly say,  
And talk to me in his own pleasant way.

"What's that you say?", "No mail today!"  
Don't worry, my son, tomorrow's another day."

Then when all is said and done, Marching out of "Chapel One," A happy soldier I will be;  
Because the Chaplain I did see.

PVT. MORRIS SHAMES, Camp Van Dorn, Miss.

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## SYNAGOGUE NOTES

## Indianapolis Hebrew

Friday evening services will be held at 8 p. m. Sept. 24 with a sermon by Rabbi Goldblatt "On the Threshold of a New Year."

Kaddish will be recited for the following whose anniversary of death occurs during this week: Louis Letzter, Fannie Rosengarten, Harold Gusdorf, Belle Granian Kohn, Nicholas Wormser, Lazarus Fleig, Irvine N. Wormser, Jesse L. Mossler, Sidney Mayer, Mrs. Emma Rauh, David Wild, Mrs. Belle Hananer Hays, and Minnie P. Efroyson.

## Army Posts

Religious services will be conducted at the Post Chapel at Ft. Harrison at 8 p. m. Friday by Rabbi M. M. Feuerlicht. For the benefit of the patients and students at the Medical Training School who will not be able to attend services in town, Rabbi Maurice Goldblatt will conduct services the second night of Rosh Hashanah, Thursday, Sept. 30 at 7 p. m. in the Red Cross Recreation Room at Billings General Hospital.

## Temple Israel

LAFAYETTE — Temple services at Temple Israel were resumed on Friday, Sept. 17 which was designated as Purdue Service night. Many members of the student body and the Jewish boys in the several military units were present. Rabbi Meyer H. Simon spoke on anti-Semitism.

## Achduth Vesholom

FT. WAYNE — The formal opening of the Temple Religious School will be at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, Sept. 26. The teaching staff will meet at 9:30.

## Washington Ave.

EVANSVILLE — Registration for the religious school of the Washington Avenue Temple will be held on Saturday, September 25 at 9:30 a. m. The religious school during the coming year

## Sinai Temple

MICHIGAN CITY — Friday night services started for the new season at Sinai Temple on Friday night, Sept. 17, and Rabbi Arthur Bonnheim gave the first of a series of talks on the subject "Old Land Marks and New Roads." This series pertains to present days and those to follow Victory, stating that they are not only a challenge, but the demand for reappraisal and reimplementation of our traditional religion.

## Town Crier

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scene because it comes from the South Sea Islands. It comes from Pfc. Herman Burnstein, who is with a fighter control squadron out there. He's the brother of Joe Burnstein, whom we all know as the City Bottling Works. Thanks Herman, and a Happy and Peaceful New Year to you, too.

Dr. Sidney Kauffman has been in England something like two years I think, and recently his brother, Lt. Charles Kauffman was shipped across. And where do you think Brother Kauffman was stationed—a mere fifty miles from Sidney. Another brother, Lt. Nelson Kauffman is a prisoner of the Japs.

## Indoor Picnic Features Delicacies

The Hebrew Ladies Aid Society (Bicker Cholem) will hold an indoor, all-day picnic Sunday, Oct. 17 at the Talmud Torah Building. Delicious home made cooking and baking will be on sale such as sweet and sour rolled cabbage balls, chili, baked beans cooked with meat, potato salad, "knishes," strudel and all kinds of "milchik gebeck." The president Mrs. Sarah Bernard, announced.

## ON THE RECORD

## THE GERMAN RETREAT AND OFFENSIVE

By DOROTHY THOMPSON  
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IT IS NOW CLEAR that the Germans are retreating from Russia. They are not retreating early enough, or as they would like to have done. They are retreating under pressure and they suffer great losses in men and material. They make continual counter-attacks, but these are obviously for the purpose of rescuing their armies, not for the purpose of advancing or holding ground.

The Russians say they are even throwing in some of their reserves for this purpose. But this does not change the fact—that the overall picture is of withdrawal. It is borne out by the fact that they are evacuating German nationals from the whole Ukraine.

ON THE OTHER SIDE we see that the Germans are offering a terrific resistance in Italy. From a strategical viewpoint, the concentration of their forces there seems very unwise. It has been argued by military commentators that the Germans throughout the war have been superb tacticians but wretched strategists. This is, to an extent true. The German war plan has been bad, from the beginning. But I doubt whether this explains the present behavior, which is dictated both by military and political considerations.

Some months ago the German military radio commentator, General Dietmar, compared the German situation with that of Frederick the Great in the Seven Years' War. At that time Prussia was fighting a war against a coalition, and Frederick's strategy was always to defeat the first army to appear menacing, before a common pressure could be exerted. So now, when the Anglo-American forces are appearing in Europe, they must, according to General Dietmar, suffer a drastic defeat even though they may later recuperate.

The Germans must, according to this theory, use their internal position to deal blows first with the right hand and then with the left, NEVER ALLOWING BOTH FRONTS TO BE EQUALLY STRONG AT THE SAME TIME.

For behind this military policy is a POLITICAL strategy. That strategy is to play the Russians against the Anglo-Saxons and vice versa. Germany today is in a position where she knows she cannot win the war and is only playing her hand not utterly to lose it. And in order to play the Anglo-Americans against the Russians and vice versa, she has to confront us with facts, not with words.

SO LET US ASK: What is the POLITICAL meaning of the withdrawal from Russia?

From the German viewpoint it means the threat that Central Europe will be open to the Red Army. And this means that, lacking an agreement between Russia and the Anglo-Americans regarding the fate of Germany, the Russians, on the spot, will decide the issue.

What is the political meaning of the terrific resistance at Salerno? It is the German intention to bring home to the Anglo-American powers, the fact that they alone, without Russia, are unable to defeat the German army.

Both facts together are designed to tell the following story: The western powers have no chance to impose their war aims on Europe. They can only enable the Russians to impose their war aims. Therefore, say the Germans to us by actions instead of words—negotiate a peace before it is too late.

NOW ALL THIS WOULD be transparent and easy to deal with if we had an understanding with the Russians concerning the future of Germany and Europe. But we have not. And I am compelled to believe that the reason we have none is because the Anglo-American powers and their leaders think rhetoric counts. Neither the Russians nor the Germans do.

Both the Russians and the Anglo-Americans are considering their own national self interest. Mr. Cordell Hull has asserted and justified it, and it is in the nature of nations. It is an open secret that the Russians have been extremely difficult to deal with; that they have shunned or postponed conferences with the President and Mr. Churchill. One can only assume that they wished to be in a better position before such a conference should occur. The best position for the Russians is at a time when we are inextricably engaged on the continent of Europe, and when the German armies are retreating from Russia. This moment is now here.

Meanwhile we have committed ourselves to the unconditional surrender of the German armies, and the Russians have not. We have made the phrase into a policy in dealing with Italy. The Germans are well aware that there is no agreement between the Anglo-Americans and the Russians regarding the future of Germany and Europe. That is no doubt why they have sent—according to a recent report—the former German Ambassador to Moscow, von der Schulenburg, to Stockholm, obviously with the object of putting out feelers to Moscow. And from Switzerland other Germans are putting out feelers in our direction, offering a change of government in Germany in return for peace.

THIS IS A DANGEROUS situation. It would not be dangerous if we had an agreement with Russia. And, as I see it, it will be impossible to reach an agreement without a change in our policy. If the Anglo-American powers are playing for a world hegemony, they will, I fear, get some astonishing surprises.

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# The SOCIETY Page

## MARY ALICE ALTMAN, IEO WAGMAN WED; NEW CASTLE RECEPTION HONORS COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Altman announce the wedding of their daughter, Mary Alice, to Leo Wagman of Indianapolis, son of son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Wagman of New Castle, solemnized by Rabbi Maurice Goldbatt, at 8:30 p. m., Sunday, Sept. 12, at home of Rabbi Goldbatt. Mr. and Mrs. William Safrin attended the bridal couple. After a short honeymoon to Cincinnati they are living at 3753 N. Meridian St., Apt. 104. Mr. Wagman attended Indiana University.

A reception was held in New Castle, from 7 to 11 Sunday evening, Sept. 19, by Mr. and Mrs.

## Alex Millmans Honored At Farewell Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Klein, 3010 N. Delaware St., gave a farewell dinner party last Sunday at their home, the honor guests being Mr. and Mrs. Alex Millman, who are leaving for New York today for permanent residence. Other guests at the dinner were the Messrs. and Mesdames Ben Cohen, Jack Kostick, E. Lebowitz, Samuel Alpert, D. Adeff, Harry Schechter and Mrs. Harry Mantz, Mrs. M. Stone, Miss Iris Katz, and Mrs. M. Pollack of Zanesville, O. . . Miss Esther Cohn has enrolled as a freshman at Indiana University. . . Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Einbinder and daughter, Gloria Jean, have returned from Chicago, where they visited their daughter, Ensign Shirley Ann, at Great Lakes Naval Training Station. They also visited their son Bill, an apprentice seaman at Purdue. . . Mrs. J. Ehrman, of San Francisco, a member of the National Board of Temple Sisterhoods, has been at the Marott for several weeks. Her son is stationed at the army base hospital here. . . Dr. and Mrs. Archibald Cohen have Dr. Cohen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Cohen as guests. The latter are enroute to their home at Lake Worth, Fla., after visiting relatives in Nova Scotia, East Canada and Boston. . . Mrs. Nelle Cohn is in Tucson, Arizona, where she will remain for the winter. . . Mrs. Ferd Meyer left Sunday for New York to spend two weeks with her uncle, Joe Nathan, a former Indianapolis resident. . . Mrs. Jack Berman is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Oscar Kleeman, in New York. . . Mrs. I. E. Solomon returned Sunday from New York and Atlantic City. Her son, Lt. James Reed, spent the day here and left Monday morning. Soon after Mrs. Solomon left for Chicago for a few days' stay. . . Jacqueline Slutsky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Slutsky, has left for Stevens College College.

Studies At Rutgers . . . Mrs. A. Danin had as week-end guests, her nephew, Pvt. Al Goldenburg and his friend, Pvt. Ben Bluestein, stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky. Both young men hail from Boston, Mass.

## Dedication Set

Dedication of the New Hillel House at Bloomington will take place on Sunday, Nov. 21, the day after I. U.-Purdue football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lieberman accompanied by their daughter, Julia, have returned from Beverly Hills, Cincinnati, O., and Springfield, O. In Springfield they joined with their daughter, Mrs. Leon Maybruck (nee Annette Lieberman of Indianapolis), and husband in the celebration of their first wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Sidney Katz, Paris, Tex., is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kline, 3959 Park Ave.

## Young Married People

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Joseph Newman are in charge of arrangements.

**Pioneer Women Install**—Rabbi Aaron M. Rine conducted the Pioneer Women's installation of officers ceremony and addressed the group at its last meeting Wednesday, Sept. 22 at the Hebrew Institute. Newly elected officers are Mrs. Sol Wolvols, president; Mrs. Harry Schatz, vice president; Mrs. Ben Feldman, recording secretary; Mrs. Ted Halasz, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles Roth, treasurer; Mrs. Harry Graubard, cultural chairman; Mrs. I. Rosenfeld, publicity chairman; and Mrs. Abe Price, sunshine chairman. A social hour was held after the meeting and Mrs. Ben Feldman and Mrs. Harry Graubard were hostesses.

**B'nai B'rith Ladies' Auxiliary Meets**—The opening meeting of the season was held Monday, Sept. 20, at the Robertson Tea-room. Mrs. Joseph Rosensweet was elected president, to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Samuel Feiwell, and Mrs. Lawrence Hurwick was elected corresponding secretary to fill the vacancy of Mrs. S. Wise who has left the city. Mrs. Z. Dekelboum was appointed Director, representing the Auxiliary at the Indiana-Kentucky State Association. An appeal for the purchase of war bonds was made by Mr. Irving Garnitz, president of the B'nai B'rith Lodge and \$600 was raised at the meeting. Mrs. Samuel Feiwell presided.

## Studies At Rutgers

Sgt. Tevie Jacobs, who was at Camp Atterbury for the past year, has been studying at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J. in the Army Specialized Training Program for the past three months. While at Camp Atterbury Sgt. Jacobs edited the "Camp Crier." Mrs. Jacobs has just returned from a two month visit with her husband. She is staying with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Morris Forman, 3512 Evergreen Ave.

## Frieda Goldman To Become Bride Of Herman Rundberg

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lew Goldman, 3139 Central, announce the engagement of Mr. Goldman's sister, Frieda, to Herman Rundberg, son of Mrs. Anna Rundberg, 941 Union St. The wedding will take place Oct. 10. After a trip east, the couple will live in Indianapolis.

## Births

Dr. and Mrs. Leon Levi, 402 Hampton Dr., are the parents of a daughter born Tuesday, Sept. 21 at Coleman Hospital. The baby has been named Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pactor, 5896 Washington Blvd., announce the birth of a son Wednesday, Sept. 22 at Coleman Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barrett have moved into their new home 5750 Broadway.

## Knesses Israel Men Plan Party

The Knesses Israel Men's Club has announced a card party to be given Sunday evening, Oct. 10 in the Talmud Torah Building, Union and McCarty Sts. Max Smulyan and Sam Rabin, in charge of arrangements, have announced that refreshments will be served and the public is invited.

## Pupils To Register Sunday

Registration for the Beth El religious school will be held Sunday, Sept. 26 and Sunday, Oct. 3 at 10 a. m. The first session will be held Oct. 10.

## S/Sgt. At 20

GARY — Sgt. Norman S. Bronson, age 20, was promoted to Staff Sgt. on Sept. 1. He joined the army Nov. 30, 1942. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bronson.

## Tea Guests Hear

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the tea supervised arrangements.

**Sisterhood Board to Meet** — The first regular Board meeting of the Temple Sisterhood will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 28 at 1:30 p. m. in the Board Room.

**A. Z. A. Group Meets** — The Fort Wayne A. Z. A. boys held a membership smoker at the Temple Saturday evening. Entertainment followed a short business meeting.

## Hadassah Group Plans

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the Page," by Mrs. J. Marshall Taxay. A social hour will follow.

The first fall Hadassah board

meeting was held Wednesday in

the vestry rooms of Temple Israel.

**Temple Auxiliary Meets** — The B'nai Abraham Auxiliary held its first fall meeting last Monday in the vestry rooms of Temple B'nai Abraham. Rabbi Abraham L. Rosenblum gave a talk on the coming holidays. A social hour followed.

## HOME CEREMONY SEPTEMBER 12 UNITES OHIO GIRL, HERBERT BACKER

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Altfeld, moon in Chicago, the young couple are located at 3239 North Illinois St., Apt. 3.

The bride received her B. A. degree from the University of Michigan in May. She was a member of Alpha Epsilon Phi Sorority. The groom who has recently received an honorable discharge from military service received his B. A. and LL.B. degree from the University of Indiana and is an associate member of the Royse and Travis law firm in this city. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Mu fraternity.

**Pilams Plan Hayride**

**Special**

BLOOMINGTON — Pi Lambda Phi at Indiana have planned the annual fall hayride to take place Oct. 2, under the supervision of Brother Lenny Goodman, at McCormick's Creek State Park.

The new officers of the fraternity are Brothers Lennard S. Goodman of New York and Abe Schuchman of Indianapolis.

Guests for the week end were Brother Len Lasky of Marion, Cpl. Art Gresh, Seymour, Lt. Sherman, Evansville, Brother Herb Kahn stationed at Green-castle in VI, Lloyd Nevel and Henry Karler of Mishawaka, Pvts. Lou Friedman and Harvey Karresoll stationed at Bloomington in the A. S. T. P., and Mr. and Mrs. B. Segal of Indianapolis.

## Slavin Is Corporal

HAMMOND — Allan Slavin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Slavin has been promoted to corporal at headquarters of the army air base at Harvard, Neb. His family is expecting him home on a week's furlough Sept. 27.



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## AL SEGAL Speaks On JEWS IN WASHINGTON

I HAVE BEEN in Washington the past month and have had some opportunity to examine one of the myths that have been anti-semitically circulated in the recent years: That the Government in Washington is full of Jews and something ought to be done about them in the same way Hitler did to Jews who were in the government of Republican Germany.

The story has been of the same pattern as the one that Hitler gave to the Germans in the years before he came to the ill-fated position of Führer of the Third Reich. His line was that the government of the German Republic was largely Jewish.

Some of my best friends among the Gentiles had mentioned humorously the report that the Washington Government was overflowing with Jewish inhabitants. Even in their well-meaning wisecracks there was a suggestion that they half believed the story.

I must confess that I myself came to Washington believing that there are a very large number of Jews in Washington.

I have been getting around in Washington—past the inevitable receptionists in all the Government buildings, past the armed guard almost at every Government doorway (the number of armed guards should make a combat regiment), past the host of secretaries, and have had no feeling at all of being Jewishly associated with these throngs of Federal workers.

I have been on the streets around the big Government establishments when the thousands of Federal help poured out at quitting time, and have seen few faces that might be described as Jewish. Yes, a Jewish-looking face here and there, almost conspicuous in the multitude of other kinds of faces.

I have been in the cocktail bars where people of the higher brackets in the Government service relax after office hours, and Jews among them are no more than could be found in similar resorts in any other American community.

I had occasion to look over the payroll of the Treasury department—in connection with payroll bond-buying among employes of the Treasury—and my cursory glance brought up only two names that looked Jewish—Joseph Greenberg and Bernard Paskin. There may be and doubtless there are more Jews in the Treasury but the fact that these two names stuck up prominently out of the payroll suggests that there weren't many. (Both Mr. Greenberg and Mr. Paskin were, by the way, putting more than one-fourth of their monthly salaries into war bonds on the payroll allotment plan.)

To defend my competence in discovering Jews in Washington I might say that from long experience of being Jewish I am rather sensitive to the presence of Jews in public places. At times on Broadway in New York I have had such an awareness of Jews as one might feel on the main street of Tel Aviv; but I have had no such feeling of Jews in Washington where, as I

had almost been led to believe, Jews were all over the Government.

Not that I am a fellow who goes about searching for Jewish resemblance in faces, any more than I search for Scandinavian or Italian or Russian resemblances. It's an awful pain to have racial consciousness and I avoid it. But a passing Jew does casually impinge upon my mind as a kinsman might and I know him at once as some one who, in a way of speaking, is somehow related to me.

My mind has failed to recognize many of these kin in the enormous Washington establishment.

Of course, this is not to say that Jews are lacking in Washington, nor is this a piece meant to be a pusillanimous effort to push Jews into the shadows, where they may be less visible to hostile eyes, as if to say: "Oh no, goodness no! We are really just meaningless nobodies in Washington." I am not that kind of a Jew.

I still feel a pain from remembering that prominent but mouse-like Jews came to Washington to urge the President not to appoint Felix Frankfurter to the Supreme Court for fear of anti-Semitic reaction.

My observation is that Jews are in the national Government in rightful proportion to their number in the population. I shouldn't like it if Jews were more numerous than their proportion in the population justified, just as I would be resentful if there were in the Government a disproportionate number of any group—Catholic, Holy Roller or Mohammedan. The special favoring of any group is not democracy.

When the anti-Semitic mind speaks of "too-many" Jews in the Government, it is not giving out a democratic protest. By "too many" Jews it means that even a few Jews in the Government are too many. It wants no Jews at all. Primarily it abhors the democratic system by which men of whatever creed or race may serve the Republic. Anti-Semitism is repudiation of democracy.

If I were to regard Jewishly the matter of Jews being in the Government my pride would not be in the fact that they are Jews but in that they are serving the Government most creditably.

I prefer to look at Mr. Morgenthau as one American looking at another and respecting him for magnificent service to the nation; yet I can't help looking at him Jewishly as well and saying with considerable pride: "In the rectitude of his public service this man fulfills the ethical imperative that goes with being a Jew, and that's the main end of being Jewish."

Of course, my Zionist friends make Jewishness much more complicated than that but for me to say this will only serve to start an argument; so I guess I had better close this piece right here.

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## POLICE CHIEF'S SON PLEADS GUILTY IN ANTI-SEMITIC RIOT IN CANADA

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

MONTREAL — Rene Bolduc, son of the police chief of the Canadian resort town of Plage Laval, who has been sought by the police for several weeks as ringleader of a gang of young hoodlums who participated in an anti-Semitic riot in Plage Laval on July 25, surrendered to the authorities here this week.

Young Bolduc pleaded guilty to the charges against him and will be sentenced on September 21. In court this week, a constable testified that he had seen Bolduc "roll up his sleeves and look for a fight" during the disturbances. Moe Herscovitz, Canadian Olympic star whose eye was injured, is still under a doc-

tor's care, it was reported at the trial.

### Palestine Rocked By Earthquake

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON — An earthquake which destroyed several buildings in northern Palestine and drove the inhabitants of Tel Aviv from their homes occurred over the week end according to London broadcasts reported by the Office of War Information this week. The earth tremors were felt in Jerusalem, Haifa, Tel Aviv, Tiberias, Nablus and Nazareth, the broadcasts said. In Jenin, in the northern part of the country, many buildings were destroyed.

### Sharah Tefilla Sets Selichos Services

Congregation Sharah Tefilla known as the Polishe Shule, and the oldest orthodox congregation in Indiana will hold the traditional Selichos Services this Saturday at midnight with Cantor A. Portnov, officiating.

Seats will go on sale prior to the services and every evening from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Early reservation is urged since a large portion of the seats have already been sold to those who attended last year. Both Cantor Portnov and Rabbi S. A. Katz will conduct the services for the High Holidays. A large section of seats will be reserved for men in the service.

The entire Vestry Room has been redecorated through the generosity of Adolph Blickman, of Rogers Jewelry Co.

### Early Deadline Next Week

Because the New Year issue of The Jewish Post will be mailed next Wednesday, the deadline for news for the issue is 10 a. m. Monday morning. Publicity chairmen of organizations and correspondents of The Post are asked to arrange to have their news for next week's paper in our office by that time.

## Celler Resolution Would Allow Entry of Refugees

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON — Immediate admission to the United States of bone fide political and religious refugees was urged in a resolution introduced in the House of Representatives by Rep. Samuel Dickstein of New York when Congress reconvened this week.

The resolution urged that "an administrative policy be adopted to admit to the United States for a period not exceeding six months after hostilities have ceased between the Allied and Axis nations such persons now residing in continental Europe who desire to come to the United States and who can establish to the satisfaction of any American consul before whom they may appear that they are bona fide political or religious refugees."

In a statement to the press, Rep. Dickstein explained that "it is not the intention of the resolution to grant permanent admission to anyone. As a matter of fact, it is expressly stated that the people will be permitted to remain here for the duration only and that they will have to leave the country at the latest six months after hostilities have ceased between Allied and Axis nations."

## Report No Action In Major's Case

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON—Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson has found "no sufficient reason" for ousting from the army's School of Military Government the Polish politician, Major Michael Grazynski, who was charged with having an anti-Jewish and anti-democratic record while serving as governor of the province of Silesia, in Poland, it was learned here this week. Mr. Stimson came to this conclusion following an investigation by "an appropriate agency of the War Department" to which he had referred the complaints against Grazynski.

Secretary Stimson's decision was disclosed in a letter addressed to Rep. Emanuel Celler of New York who asked for an investigation of the Grazynski case. The letter, dated September 6, read in part:

"Major Grazynski's status was merely that of a student at the School of Military Government, to which he was admitted at the request and upon the nomination of the Polish Government-in-Exile. He completed the course of instruction with his class during the month of August and reverted to the position he occupied before entering the school. He holds no position in the Army of the United States.

## Hitler Synagogue Opened In Dublin

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK—Believe it or not, Hitler has built a synagogue. It has been paid for by German money and is for the use of Jews. There are no restrictions whatsoever. It happened this way. When one of Hitler's bombers inadvertently mistook Dublin for an enemy target a couple of years ago, a synagogue was among the buildings which were badly damaged. Mr. DeValera's government made an indignant protest. The German Legation in Dublin seemed greatly distressed. Berlin was at once informed of the bad effect the whole incident was having on the good relations of neutral Ireland and Nazi Germany. Hitler sent a personal apology and offered to pay for the damage. The Jewish community in Dublin was reimbursed with Hitler's money and a new synagogue has now risen on the ashes of the old. The Irishmen in Dublin call it "Hitler's Synagogue."

## Rabbi Siegel To Be At Ezras Achim

Rabbi S. S. Siegel, Executive Director of the Hebrew Theological College of Chicago has been engaged as Cantor for the Holidays, Ezras Achim Congregation announced this week. Rabbi Siegel will begin with the Selichos Services and end after Yom Kippur.

Tickets will go on sale the night of Selichos, at 9 p. m. and will be on sale until Rosh Hashanah. The officers this week urged members to get their seats as soon as possible.

## Two Florida Rabbis Censured by Delegates

Special

JACKSONVILLE, FLA. — Indignant over the "attempt to sabotage the collective Jewish will to achieve a unified program," the four delegates representing Florida at the American Jewish Conference have issued an open statement addressed "to the Jews of Florida," severely censuring Rabbis David L. Zelonka of Tampa and Samuel H. Baron of Fort Lauderdale. The two rabbis signed the recent statement of the American Council for Judaism.

The four delegates who made the statement and the districts represented are Abe Newman, Jacksonville and north Florida; Day J. Apt, Tampa and west Florida; Rabbi Max Shapiro and Harry Simonoff, Miami and south Florida.

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By HELEN ZIGMOND

HOLLYWOOD—Waste Basket Harvest: Immediately following the Italian capitulation, producers called hurried confabs to consider or to junk stories that are or soon will be outdated by the swift march of events. Many a

Hitler yarn will dissolve in an ashcan instead of revolve in a film can. The general consensus is that Adolf will suddenly be swallowed up by his generals and disappear as did Doochie. \*

In Cairo Jack Benny was the entertainer for a party hosted by King Farouk. The guests were five hundred wounded American soldiers. Latest word from Benny is of his plane landing in Iran after circling the airport for hours in a dust storm. Benny's itinerary is designed to take him to the most out-of-the-way encampments of the armed forces. \*

Good Neighbor Service: During the Quebec conference, the American delegation wished to reciprocate in part the hospitality of the Canadians. Someone had the bright thought that a showing of "This Is the Army" would be an agreeable gesture. But not a print was to be had in the Dominion. S. O. S. flashed to the California studio—an express plane shot the film to Washington—a U. S. bomber carried it to Quebec. It arrived twenty minutes before curtain time. \*

Gathered in the Hollywoods: A major lot would like to contract Mrs. Danny Kaye (Sylvia Fine)—she is considered a brilliant writer of laugh material. . . . Walter Wanger visited the Blood Bank for the fifth time—received a blue ribbon as a citation. Comes the announcement that Sally Eilers, recently severed from Harry Joe Brown, was coupled to Lieut. Howard Barney, U. S. N. Rabbi Edgar Magnin has been called in as one of the advisors in the film preparation of a story on the post-war trials of the Nazi authorities in Poland. Title is, "The Day Will Come"—we hope so. Walda Winchell, tested for flickers, looks like a future starlet if she wants a career. Papa Walter says it's okay with him, but he would rather she would start via the "subway circuit," learning the hard way. \*

"Looks like we're changing the German Air Force to the German Air Farce," whirrs Berle.

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By PHINEAS BIRON

## BITS OF IMPORT

On a recent trip to Canada we observed that anti-Semitism there has found consistent exponents in various French-Canadian humorous newspapers and journals. One of the worst offenders in this respect is Le Bavard (The Gossip), which regularly publishes a special column called "Jewish Stories of the Week". These stories are invariably of the Streicher type of anti-Semitic "humor". . . The New York Post, of which Dorothy Schiff Thackrey is the owner, recently was prevented from buying the Binghamton Press because some reactionary elements carried on an outrageous whispering campaign against the Post. That campaign, although no news report mentioned it, was of a violently anti-Semitic nature. . . Don't miss Joe Brainin's exposé of the anti-Semitic background of the present Polish Government-in-Exile, in the September issue of New Currents. . . But some Jewish leaders won't like the piece. (Editor's Note: Mr. Brainin is the Phineas J. Biron who writes this column.)

## SIGNS OF THE TIMES

When the war started the Nazis placed huge contracts with the Swedish stone industry for blocks of red, black and gray granite, which they planned to use for the post-war construction of monuments and buildings to commemorate the expected Nazi victory. . . Now the Swedish quarries have been notified by the Germans to cut no more of these blocks. . . Could be the Nazis aren't so sure they'll be able to use them? . . To Benny Rubin is credited the tale of how Hitler phoned Hirohito to check on how the war was going in his part of the world. To Adolf's question the Mikado replied: "Oh, it's going much better here." . . "Same here," came back Hitler, "much better than next year."

## THIS AND THAT

The diamond and emerald earrings, relics of the Borgias, which Orson Welles' bride numbered among her most valuable wedding gifts were presented to her by Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Bernstein. . . Dr. Bernstein, in case you've forgotten, rates as the original discoverer of Welles. He decided that Orson was a genius and undertook to guide his development when the present-day Hollywood marvel was an infant of two. . . Michael Todd has two shows on Broadway now—"Something for the Boys" and "Star and Garter"—and a new play, Gypsy Rose Lee's "Naked Genius," is about to open under his aegis. So it seems appropriate to ruminate on what the Broadway scene would be like today if Todd had followed his father's wishes and become a rabbi.

## ABOUT PEOPLE

Don't think for a moment that Nathan Straus bought New York's powerful independent radio station, WMCA, merely as a financial investment. He will devote the major part of his time to the management of the station, and will direct all its affairs personally. . . It's First Lieutenant Sidney Kingsley now. . . Since joining the Army a couple of years ago, you remember, Kingsley wrote last season's hit play "The Patriots". . . Songstress Jane Froman, still hospitalized as a result of the Lisbon clipper crash, expects to be as good as new by the beginning of next month.

## WEEKLY GIGGLE

Hitler, Goebbels and Goering, relates Walter Winchell, are getting the wind up and have frequent serious discussions as to what their fate may be after the Allies have won their final victory. . . On one such occasion, it seems, Goebbels cheerily remarked to chubby Hermann the airman: "You know what'll happen to you after the war, Goering? . . You'll be shot". . . "Izzatso?" retorted Fats. . . "Well, I know different. The Americans know I'm a good pilot, and they'll give me a job on one of their air lines". "Well, for that matter," said Goebbels, "I'm not much worried either. The Americans know what a good liar I am, and they'll probably offer me a job writing editorials for some of their papers. I guess you and I are pretty safe after all. But what about you Adolf? What's going to happen to you when we lose the war and the Allies start getting after all us Germans?" . . "Me", shrieked Hitler. . . "They can't do anything to me. . . I'm an Austrian!"

## See Son Get Medal In Newsreel of Raid

Special

NEW YORK—Mr. and Mrs. Michael Goldberg, of Patterson, N. J., went to the movies the other night and were strangely inattentive to the main feature, as well as to the Donald Duck cartoon. But when the newsreel came on—well, they sat up straight in their seats and looked alert as a pair of plane-spotters. On the screen flashed scenes of the recent raid on the Ploesti oil fields. Long-shots of the raid itself switched into a view of General Brereton meeting the crew and congratulating them as they alighted at the home base. Among the crew members in the scene they saw—yes, it was he! Just as Mrs. Fluegelheimer had said, there was their boy Jerry, bombardier of the plane, being congratulated by the general.

It was the best time Mr. and Mrs. Goldberg ever had at a movie in their lives.

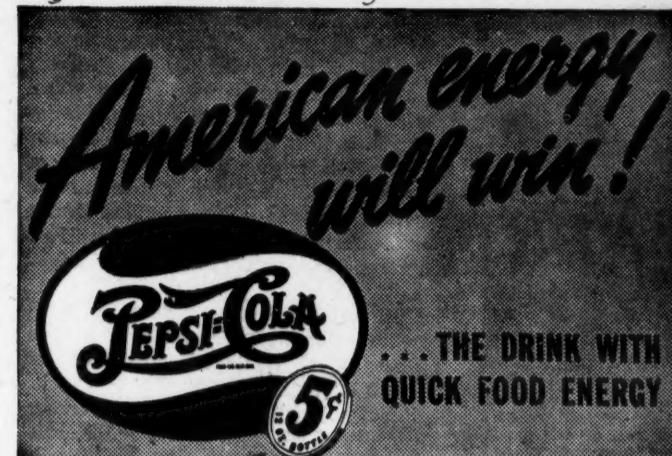
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BERLIN—Adolph Hitler, Bavarian Fascist and anti-Semitic leader, is waiting anxiously to seize power in Germany as soon as the Stressman ministry falls, which is believed to be a matter of days. This was revealed by one of Hitler's associates, named Wulle, at a private conference of Hitlerites here at which he said that when Hitler came to power there would be a forced exodus of the Jews from Germany far surpassing the exodus from Egypt. All the ills of Germany were blamed on the Jews at the meeting.

CHICAGO—The central administrative board of the B'nai B'rith has voted to appropriate \$3,500 for the relief of Jewish victims of the earthquake

which recently devastated a large part of Japan. At the same time, it was learned here that the Jewish community of Warsaw has raised 5,000,000 marks for the Jews of Japan.

BUCHAREST—Professor Cuza and a group of his anti-Semitic associates, supported and financed by a German monarchist group, had planned a "putsch" to take over the Rumanian government and launch pogroms against the Jews, according to information unearthed by government investigators. Steps have been taken to thwart the coup, which was slated for Yom Kippur.



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## Sara's Column

By SARA MESSING STERN

THERE MUST BE many other unusual happenings of the Market Street Temple days that would be of interest to our readers. If you know of any or remember people of those days, we have omitted from the column, why not write in and let us know about them!

A family, five generations of whom have lived in Indianapolis! More than eighty years ago, Hershell Enggas, wife and six-year-old daughter, Sophie, settled here. Mr. Enggas was not a charter member of Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation but joined soon after its formation. They lived on South Delaware St. near the Temple. Still in her teens, Sophie married Fabian Cohen who came here from New York. Two of their children, Ernest Cohen and Miss Minnie Cohen survive them and are affiliated with the Temple. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cohen's daughter, Eleanor, married Hershell Goodman. Their son, Michael Lee Goodman is the great-great grandchild of Hershell Enggas.

One of the most loyal Temple members, a devoted friend of my father and a man for whom father's children have an affectionate regard is Bert Jaffe. While a member of the Market Street Temple, he brought here as his bride, Carrie Oppenheimer of Louisville. They lived at the southwest corner of New York and East streets. Two sons, Lewis and Harold were born there, attended the Market Street Temple religious school and later when married, joined the Temple. They have children who attend the present Temple Religious School! I omitted the name of Simon Pink from the Column. He and his family lived in a two-story brick house on Market or New York street.

Four generations of Hoosiers, the first generations by adoption, three generations by birth: Florence Bamberger, daughter of the Herman Bambergers, married Simon Kiser, son of the Gottlieb Kisers. Their son, Raymond Kiser married Bernice Lippman of South Bend. They have one son, Stanley. Dr. Edgar F. Kiser, son of the Gottlieb Kisers, married Cleon Hene of Muncie. Their daughter, Fannie, married Dr. Bernard Rosenak, formerly of Terre Haute. They have two children, Robert and Martha.

ON THE DAY the first World War ended, the late Mrs. Adolph Kahn finished an afghan for the Red Cross. The design contained both an American and a French flag—she did this work while blind! Mrs. Walter Kahn, her daughter-in-law, recently ripped out the French flag and finished the afghan. Then she, Mrs. Lewis Baum and Mrs. Lewis Sackowitz made three more afghans and Mrs. Kahn gave the four to the Red Cross last week.

CONGRATULATIONS to Mrs. A. L. Block of the Marott Hotel who, Sept. 17, celebrated her 75th birthday. Her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Gelman, invited her and Mrs. Block's granddaughter, Mrs. Henri Meir to her apartment for dinner and then surprised her mother by having in the friends in the hotel who belong to her card club. And there were gifts, messages and a tiered birthday cake with candles! Mrs. Block and her husband came here in March 1889, lived at the Denison Hotel and joined the Market Street Temple. In fact, Mrs. Block attended services with her then little daughter Miriam the first Saturday morning she was here. She reminded me that Mr. S. Sonnenberger was caretaker of the Temple at that time. The late A. L. Block was one of the owners of L. Strauss and Co. and was prominent in civic and religious activities. There is a fourth generation to the Block family, Henri Meis, Jr., sons of Capt. and Mrs. Henri Meis. Capt. Meis has just been transferred to Washington, D. C. Though they had only been there two days and so had not been completely settled at their Wardmore Park Hotel Apartment, Mrs. Meis left everything and surprised her grandmother for the 75th birthday.

CONGRATULATIONS to Meyer Efroymson, 3627 North Pennsylvania Street, on his marvelous power of thought transmission. One evening recently, Gertrude Feibleman advised Meyer "You had better have the pipes of the furnace cleaned out." Said Meyer "Yes. I'll think about it. It should be done." Gertrude left the house early next morning, leaving Meyer's daughter, Florence Smith (Mrs. Harry B. Smith) in charge. When Gertrude came back, she saw the big machine and knew the furnace was being cleaned. At dinner that evening, she complimented Meyer on attending to the matter so quickly. "Well, I thought about it but I did nothing." The Holland Co. rang up to inform them, then, that the neighbors across the street had ordered their furnace pipes cleaned months before. "A mistake has been made!" But were the folks at 3627 glad! Shows what Meyer's thinking can accomplish.

DO YOU REMEMBER "Aunt Sallie" Solomon. No one ever called her anything but "Aunt Sallie." Her husband, Harry Solomon, brother of Morris, left her widowed when very young and she made her home with the Morris Solomons. After the death of the Morris Solomons, she and Essie Solomon made their home together. When Aunt Sallie was 90, a few years before her death, she had her hair bobbed! She was a loveable, sprightly, well-informed woman and her friends were legion.

## "Battle Lustre" Of Jews Praised By Roosevelt

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

KIAMESHA, N. Y.—"The battle record of the American Jew has had lustre added through the heroic feats of the present generation," President Roosevelt declared in a message sent to the 48th national encampment of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States this week.

The President's message, addressed to Benjamin Kaufman, national commander of the J. W. V., reads as follows: "My greetings and best wishes and extended to you and the members of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States. The record of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States on the home front since the inception of the present conflict in aiding the armed forces is known to me. It is one of which you may, with justice, be proud. The battle record of the American Jew has had new lustre added through the heroic feats of the present generation. I am certain that with an unshaken belief in the final triumph of good over evil, the people of the stock of Abraham face the future with courage and

## MOHAMMEDAN SOLDIER ATTENDS JEWISH SERVICES. EATS AT KOSHER HOME

Special

NEW YORK—The only Mohammedan soldier at Camp Blanding, Fla., Pvt. Richard Hamasse has found provision for his spiritual needs by attending Jewish services at the post. Since the Hebrew and Arabic languages are basically similar, Pvt. Hamasse felt that he could get a good deal out of the services.

Jewish Chaplain Charles S. Freedman gladly granted Ham-

asse's request for permission to attend the services and went further than that. He arranged a meeting between the private and an Orthodox family in Jacksonville who readily consented to help the Mohammedan soldier maintain the dietary requirements of his creed whenever he is in that city on a week end. Mohammedan and Jewish dietary laws are not dissimilar.

First Jewish Marine Chaplain

The first Jewish chaplain to serve with the United States Marine Corps, Chaplain Leo Wolf, has reported for duty at a West Coast station, according to the Jewish Welfare Board.

Heretofore Jewish servicemen in the Marines have been served by either Navy chaplains or civilian rabbis in communities adjacent to Marine Corps bases.



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## WOUNDED PILOT WRITES OF AIR BATTLE

*Shrapnel Punctures Capt. Adler's Face, Shoulders, Chest and Legs*

**W**ELL, THEY finally got me. I'm in the hospital and I've been here since last Saturday, Aug. 21. I got shot up a bit but I'm recuperating in good shape and should be out of here by the time you receive this letter.

"Here's the story. We went on a raid last Saturday and over the target we ran into so many Zeros they looked like flies on honey. Bruce was in the plane just ahead of me and he got it first. His plane caught fire and exploded in mid-air. I only saw two men bail out, so I'm afraid Bruce is lost. About 30 seconds after he went down I was hit. About five shells exploded in the cockpit and I was hit in the legs, chest, arms and face. The other pilot took over and they laid me back on the flight deck and gave me morphine and a little first aid. Three hours later we landed at an auxiliary airport where they have an advance hospital. They gave me three transfusions and fixed me up the best way they could. Wednesday, three days later, they flew me back to the base here where they have a good hospital and facilities, and here I am.

"Now don't worry. I am going to be perfectly all right, a few scars and a little excess lead in me (they left most of it in me), a few weeks in this hospital and then out again, good as new. I can really thank God that I'm still here. Losing Bruce was a great shock to me and the first few days I couldn't get it off my mind. He was a wonderful fellow and extremely well liked.

"I received the Purple Heart, which is a medal given to anyone suffering injuries due to enemy action. It was one medal I never cared about getting, but now that I've got it I'm proud of it.

"I have to lie on my back all the time. I have three holes in my legs, the upper part, which are all flesh wounds as none of them touched any bones. I also have about fifteen shrapnel holes in my legs, varying in size from a penny to a quarter. My right arm, the one which I am writing with, has one fairly large shrapnel hole in it. My neck, shoulders and upper part of my chest are full of shrapnel but none of them seemed to have hit any vital spots. I have a hole in the left side of my face about the size of a quarter which they say will leave a scar. They are leaving all this lead in me, as it is better than trying to take it out. I ought to make a good barometer when I get home.

"I lost a great deal of blood and every time they gave me some I thought that it was surely some good Boone County blood which my mother had worked so hard to get. I wouldn't have lasted long without it, so you can see what a wonderful thing it really is.

"This is all for now. I don't need a thing and I have plenty of company coming to see me.

Please don't worry because everything is going to be okey. Give my love to all."

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This letter, which was written on August 29, certainly needs no elaboration, but readers will want to know who the writer, Capt. Phil Adler is.

He is the twenty-seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adler of Lebanon, the only Jewish family in that community, about twenty miles from Indianapolis on the road to Lafayette. Six feet tall and weighing 190 pounds, Capt Adler is the story-type hero, having made letters in football and basketball at Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Ind. His father said he never took up golf seriously, playing only about twenty-five or fifty times, but at the Ulen Country Club at Lebanon, the caddies still tell golfers of the 305-yard seventh hole, hole-in-one made by Phil several years back.

In October three years ago, (that was back in 1940, after Germany had marched through the low countries and conquered France, but still over a year before Pearl Harbor) Phil, who was an executive in the Adler Department Store, which the family have operated for fifty-five years, enlisted in the air corps. At one time he was an instructor at Mather Field, Sacramento, Calif., then about a year ago he was shipped out, or rather flown out. His destination was China, and his home field is at Kunming, which is near Chungking, the provisional capital of China.

The raid Capt. Adler describes is over Japan-held China. He has taken part in countless raids against the Japs, but as you read, this was his first injury. The Bruce he tells about, was his close friend, Major Bruce, who was in charge of the 318th bomber squadron of the 14th Air Corps. The 14th is the famous China Air command under Gen. Claire L. Chenault. Capt. Adler was the operations officer of the 318th, and flies a Liberator.

Since having received the above letter, Mr. and Mrs. Adler have been notified by the War Department that their son has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for his exploits in the raid he describes. He is the holder also of the Air Medal, which was pinned on him three or four months ago. Capt. Adler has been moved from the hospital he describes in his letter to a base hospital in India, he has since written home.

Of special interest at this time, with the B'nai B'rith lodges of the State concentrating on October as the Blood Bank Month, is the part of the letter which tells about the blood transfusions (he mentions three at one hospital) and his mother's work for the blood bank. Although no mother ever wants to have her work brought home to her in such a manner, still there is poetic justice in the fact that Mrs. Adler has been chairman of the Boone County Blood Bank ever since its organization some years ago.

Asked if Capt. Adler has a sweetheart, his father said that if he did, he didn't know about it.

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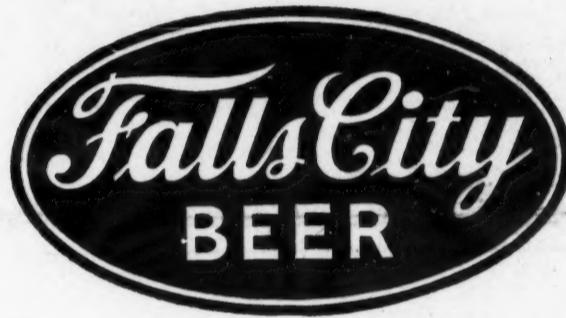
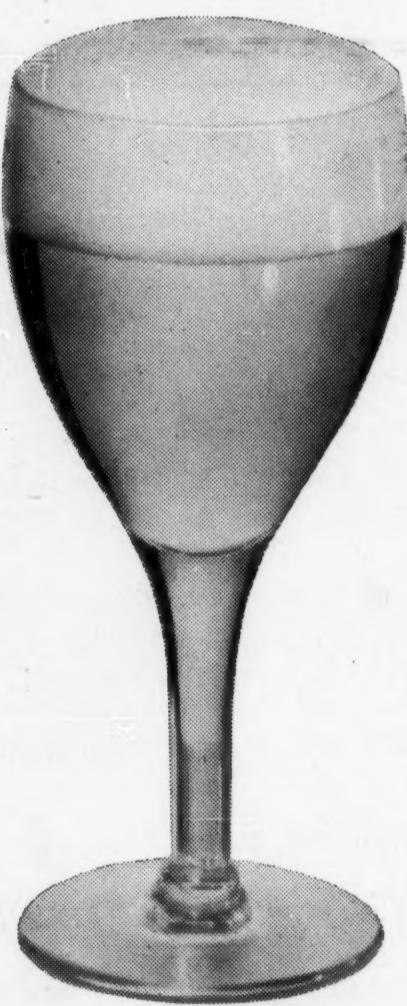
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